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Examiner	Thomas J. Cleary	Customer No.	23669
Application Title	CONFIGURABLE PRIORITIZATION OF CORE GENERATED INTERRUPTS		
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RESPONSE C – AMENDMENT**VIA FACSIMILE 571-273-8300**

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action of 9/20/2005, with a shortened statutory period of response set to expire 12/20/2005, please amend the above identified application as set forth below. A Petition for Extension of Time (3 Months) is attached hereto which, if granted, will extend the period of response until 3/20/2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

Conclusions begin on page 16 of this paper.